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SAUNDERS AND ALLIED FAMILIES

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Ft. Wayne, Indiana

This information from family records supplied by descendance

Elizebeth Carter, (orphan) at 8 years lived with Aunt Nancy Peters McCauldlish of Williamsburg) daughter of Dr. James Carter of Williamsburg and Sarah Saunders who lived next door to the Palace on Palace Green, (house still there) Dr. James Carter owned a house directly across from the Saunders, on opposite side next to the Palace.

Was Sarah daughter of Robert Saunders (or sister) who was son of John Saunders of the Rev. whose only son was Robert Saunders of William and Mary College, died 1869? Married 1828, Lucy B. Page born 1807

Robert Saunders President of William and Mary College was executor of will of descendant of Elizabeth Carter.

March 11, 1953

Miss Ann Waller Reddy,
1005 East Marshall St.,
Richmond 19, Va.

Re: Saunders

Dear Miss Reddy:

I have found in the Early Settlers of Alabama, Page 460, the following data on the Saunders line:

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John Saunders (third son) married Lucy Galt, moved to Norfolk. Was officer of Customs. John - issue Mary DSP. Sarah DSP - son Rev. Wm. T.S. was son of John of James City County.

Robert 4 S. Born 1762 - Died 1840, was son of John.

Robert 4 had son Robert 6, Pres. W. & M. married Lucy Barbell Page.

I am also enclosing copy of information on the Peters family in Virginia.

Yours very truly

M.D. Rutherford

MDR:mn

March 2, 1953

Miss Ann Waller Reddy,
1005 East Marshall St.,
Richmond 19, Va.

Re: Saunders

Dear Miss Reddy:

Further search of my file on Saunders I find the following note:

"Norfolk City M.E. May 28, 1810, Milnor W. Peters and Miss Elizabeth Carter, Robert McCandlish was security. A note filed with this bond says that the couple was married the same day by Rev. Robert W. Symes rector of Christ P.E. Church. Also included is a note that the bride, Elizabeth Carter was the ward of Robert Saunders of Williamsburg."

and follows a note from the researcher who gave me this to the effect that (all this Peters, Carter and Saunders connection is very good).

There is another note as to the following:

"Baptismal records of Rev. Symes record that Sarah Ann, daughter of Milnor W. Peters and Elizabeth, his wife, was baptized October 20, 1811, having been born February 1811. There was at least one other child born to Mr. Peters, because Mr. Symes made a record in 1813 that he had buried the child of Mr. Milnor W. Peters on June 7."

This latter Sarah Ann was the wife of Thomas C.K. Woodhouse and my great-great grandmother.

Hope this will help you get a better line on these parties, than we have had up to now.

Yours very truly

M.D. Rutherford

MDR:mn

February 25, 1953

Miss Ann Waller Reddy,
1005 East Marshall St.,
Richmond 19, Va.

Dear Miss Reddy:

I am enclosing my check for \$15.00 as per your invoice.

I am not losing interest in the Saunders line, I was merely out of town and have just returned.

In looking over my file I find that practically everything I have on the Carter line you sent me with a few exceptions. I gather from my records that I sent you the information which I received recently from the Williamsburg Restoration about the father of Dr. J. Woodhouse being the jailer and his wife, Thomasine having a Will in which she mentioned a son.

CARTER

Nothing further on the Saunders line to supplement the information I gave you in my letter of November 7, 1952, except that information received from family records was to the effect that Elizabeth Carter, an orphan at 8 years, who lived with an Aunt Nancy Peters McCauldich of Williamsburg, daughter of Dr. James Carter of Williamsburg and Sarah Saunders who lived next door to the Palace on Palace Green.

My information follows with the query, was Sarah the daughter of Robert Saunders (or sister) who was son of John Saunders of the Revolution, whose only son was Robert Saunders of William and Mary College, died in 1869. Married in 1828, Lucy B. Page, born in 1807. Robert Saunders, President of William and Mary College was executor of Will of descendent of Elizabeth Carter. Perhaps you can use this information and trace back and see if we can identify Sarah as being of this line.

Yours very truly

MDR:mn
Enc.

M.D. Rutherford

P.S. Perhaps a search of the line mentioned of Peters McCauldich would bring some results.

SAUNDERS - CARTER FAMILIES

Sussex Marriage Register,
p. 26

1780 - April 18 - ✓

Thomas Ellis and Amey Saunders, daughter
of John Saunders, who was security.

Williamsburg Wills - Crozier
Vol. 3, p. 35

Lester, Benjamin, York Co., 26 Sept. 1794;
15 June, 1795 - Wife Amy and all my children.
Exors: Wife and her brother, Joshua Morris
and John Goodall
Wit: Thomas Minson, Christopher Curtis,
Judy Wright.

The Record of Bruton Parish Church
Goodwin. p. 157

Peters, Anthony - had slaves bapt. in 1751

p. 155

| | | |
|---------------|---------|--------------------------|
| Carter, James | - | had slaves bapt. in 1765 |
| " | John | " " " " 1759-88 |
| " | William | " " " " 1768 |
| " | Mrs. | " " " " 1754 |
| Dixon, John | " | " " " " 1768-83 |
| " | Widow | " " " " 1747 |
| " | Doctor | " " " " 1748-51 |

p. 157

Saunders, John - had slaves bapt. in 1761-83
" William " " " " 1764

Baptisms
p. 149

? 1760 - James, son of John Carter
1759 - Thomas, son of John and Jane Carter,
late Jane Mitchell

p. 151

? 1763 - James, son of Wm. and Rebecca Carter
" - Anne, dau. of John and Jane Carter
1766 - Cary Mitchell; dau. of John and Jane Carter

SAUNDERS - PETERS

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(5) (4), (3) (2) (1)
John Saunders, Robert John, Robert, John
married Lucy Galt, removed to Norfolk, where he was an
officer of the customs.

Issue: Mary d. s. p.

Rev. Wm. Turner b. in Norfolk 1817 an
Episcopal clergyman for 20 years rector
at Appalachicola.

Bounty Warrant

Anthony Peters - soldier assigns his bounty to Jones
Allen.

Signed - Anthony Peters

York County, to-wit:

I certify that the above was signed and
delivered in my presence.

Signe - William Eaton
a magistrate for the
above county.

SAUNDERS - PETERS - WOODHOUSENorfolk, Virginia
1850 Census

| | | | |
|----------|--------------------|----|--------------------|
| #569-643 | Elizabeth Saunders | 74 | |
| | John L. | 47 | - Capt. USN \$7500 |
| | Martha | 37 | |
| | John | 14 | |
| | William | 12 | |
| | Elizabeth | 8 | |
| | Palmer | 7 | |
| | Allen | 2 | |

#715-794

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|--|----------------------|----|-----|
| | Robert J. McCandlish | 30 | clk |
| | Anne W | 28 | |
| | Charles S. | 3 | |
| | Upton B. | 2 | |

34V263 Marriage Returns from
the Borough of Norfolk 1809-1829
Chiefly by the Records of Christ Church

1810 May 28 - Milner W. Peters and Elizabeth Carter

5W(1)24 Abstracts of Marriage
License Bonds on file in York
County, Clerk's Office

10 June 1786 - Anthony Peters x his mark to (Nancy)
Ann Carter, spinster. Sec. James Ashley x his mark

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Will of James Carter of Williamsburg, probably Dr.
James Carter dated 28 Feb. 1794, proved Dec. 1, 1794
Wife Sarah, daughter Elizabeth, now infant, niece
Charlotte Dickson, daughter of Mary Dickson, Amy wife
of Benj. Lester, my nephew Dr. Thomas Carter, Rev.
John Bracken, Robert Saunders, Elizabeth Saunders,
Exors.

Virginia Antiquary

Volume I

Princess Anne County Loose Papers - 1700-1789

Edited by John Harvie Greecy

ELIZABETH SAUNDERS page 38 BOX A 7, MARKED 1766

10 Oct. 1765. Claims for Thomas Hunter, son of Thomas,
to answer ELIZABETH SAUNDERS, adm'x de bonis non of
John Thoroughgood decd., of a plea of Trespass on the
Case, damage L26.

Children (Of Geo. & Hannah Creed Saunders)

1. Barbara b. Jan. 22, 1712
 2. Woodward b. June 1, 1716
 3. Thos. b. July 13, 1718
 4. Hannah b. Sept. 21, 1720
 5. Mary Ann b. Oct. 1, 1722
 6. Nancy Ellen b. May 31, 1724
 7. Romulus Mar 26, 1726
 - * 8. George b. Oct. 9, 1728
- * George, youngest son, b. in what is now Yorktown, Va. over 40 yrs. before the Beginning of the Rev. War. Reared in Yorktown and New Kent Co. m. Nancy Hatcher, dau. of Thos. Hatcher and Eliz. Buford Hatcher, Jan. 11, 1757. Ancestro of our kin in Eastern Ky. His bro. Thos. Saunders was b. July 18, 1718 and m. Martha Hatcher, Jan. 1, 1744. He was a Rev. soldier. Their eldest son Jesse b. Dec. 25, 1744 was never married, was wounded and scalped by the Indians and left for dead. He recovered and lived for many yrs. but his brain could be seen as it throbbled ever after.

Thos. Saunders Children:

1. James b. Feb. 1, 1746
 - * 2. Thos. b. Jan. 22, 1750 Rev. soldier
 3. Martha Ellen b. Feb. 11, 1750
 4. George b. Mar. 1, 1752
 5. Rachel b. May 1, 1754
- * Thomas, b. Jan 22, 1748 m. Eliz. Helms, Dec. 22, 1770, Children:
1. Jesse b. Dec. 15, 1771
 2. John b. Nov. 4, 1773
 3. Martha b. Dec. 2, 1775
 4. Eliz. b. Dec. 25, 1777
 5. Albert b. Jan. 1, 1780
 6. Thos. b. May 22, 1788

Spottsylvania Co., Va.

- D.B.-C p. 420, Oct. 4, 1740 - Hugh Sanders, par. of St. Geo. to Dudley Gatewood 235 a., part of a patent granted to Nathaniel Sanders, dec'd. by the Thos. Nathaniel given to sd. Hugh Sanders.
- Hugh Sanders, Catey (C) Sanders.
- p. 455, Nov. 24, 1740. Hugh Sanders to Hugh Pen, Co. of Spots., 125 a. part of pat. gr. to Nath. Sanders, dec'd. & by the last will & test. of Thos. Nath. Sanders, given to Hugh Sanders.
- Wit: Dudley Gatewood, John Hopkins Hugh Sanders - no wife sig.
- D.B.-D. 1742-1751
- p. 53. Jan. 26, 1742. Nath. Sanders to Rob't. Colerna, 500 pounds. Nathaniel Sanders had left him by his father, Nath. Sanders, dec'd. 400 a.
- Wit: Jn. Wynill Sanders Nathaniel Sanders - no wife sig.

Essex Co., Va.

- D.B. # 9, 1695-1699.
- p. 341, Jun. 20, 1697. Thos. Sanders appointed Administrator
- D.B. # 16, 1718-1721
- p. Mat 17, 1718. Nathaniel Sanders of King and Queen Co., Par. of St. Stevens, sells land.

Sanders - Saunders Family

Virginia State Lib. - Archives Dept. No. 21145.

Saunders Family Data -- Lawrence Saunders, who was burned at the stake during the reign of Queen Mary, dau. of Henry VIII and sister to Queen Elizabeth, was born in the town of Cambridge July 9, 1510, youngest son of John Saunders and Jane (Lawrence) Saunders, who were of great piety and respectibility. Lawrence was educated at Eton College and ordained in the beginning of King Edward's reign in 1537. Preached at Frotheringay, Leitchfield and Church Langton in Leicestershire and was afterward appointed to All Hallows, Bread St., London.

He married Eliz. Kittwell, dau. of Jno. Kittwell, Plymouth, Eng. The following is copied from a Bible printed in the 16th Cent. and owned by Richard Saunders of New Kent Co., Va. in 1888. Children of Lawrence and Eliz. Saunders, born at Dunstables Head;

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| 1. John | b. July 6, 1539 |
| 2. Richard | b. 1542 |
| 3. Mary and Eliz. (Twins) | b. Oct. 29, 1544 |
| 4. George | b. Mar. 8, 1546 |
| Kitwell | b. Nov. 10, 1548 |

John (1) Saunders, eldest son of Lawrence m. Jane Catchaside, Jan. 6, 1563. She was only child of Ralph Catchaside of Plymouth, Eng. They had three daus. and four sons as follows:

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| 1. Rebecca | b. Jan. 1, 1564 |
| 2. Susan Eliz. | b. Feb. 6, 1566 |
| 3. Martha Ellen | b. June 20, 1568 |
| 4. James | b. Apr. 3, 1569 |
| 5. Penj. | b. Dec. 6, 1571 |
| 6. Roger | b. Feb. 20, 1573 |
| * 7. George | b. May 1, 1574 |

* This George Saunders was the ancestor of the American Br. that settled in Va. He m. Eliz. Woodward, dau. of Rollo Woodward of Huntington, Eng. in 1607, but returned to Eng. in 1616. His eldest son was b. at Gravesend Eng. Children:

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| 1. George | b. Dec. 25, 1622, in Eng. |
| 2. Thomas | b. Oct. 1, 1624 |
| 3. James | b. Mar. 2, 1626 |
| 4. Mehitabel | b. June 30, 1628 |
| 5. Jernah | b. Nov. 9, 1630 |
| 6. Woodward | b. Apr. 24, 1632 |

Woodward, the youngest was b. in Colony of Va. In 1659 at age of 27 yrs. m. Barbara King, dau. of Wm. King and Nancy Holmes King. Settled near New Kent and had following children, as recorded in a Cloverdale Version of the Bible

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|-----------------|-------------------|
| 1. Elizabeth | b. May 20, 1662 |
| 2. Wm. | b. Apr. 30, 1664 |
| 3. Rollo | b. Jan. 11, 1666 |
| 4. Margaret Ann | b. Dec. 29, 1668 |
| 5. Thos. | b. June 30, 1670 |
| 6. Hannah | b. Aug. 20, 1672 |
| 7. Mary Eliz. | b. Feb. 11, 1674 |
| 8. James | b. Mar. 16, 1676 |
| 9. Romulus | b. Mar. 9, 1678 |
| 10. Barbara | b. Sept. 30, 1680 |
| * 11. George | b. Oct. 26, 1682 |
| * 12. John | b. Dec. 2, 1684. |

* George Saunders, sixth son of Woodward Saunders m. Hannah Creed, Feb. 10, 1710. He was exciseman for the king for more than 20 yrs. in York and New Kent Cos.

S A U N D E R S

Answers to Queries:

(2)
Sarah Saunders was the daughter of
(1)
John Saunders b. 16 -- d. 1700. She was the sister
(2)
of Robert Saunders of Williamsburg, who married -----
Spratley, daughter of John Spratley of Surry, who referred
in his will dated April 28, 1728 to his "granddaughter Mary,
Saunders, daughter of Mr. Robert Saunders of Williamsburg."

(1)
It appears from the above that John Saunders
of York County, Virginia, died 28 years earlier than the
father-in-law of his son, Robert, which suggests the pos-
sibility of error, although John Spratley, the father-in-
law might have been an old man when he died.

THE SAUNDERS FAMILY

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| <u>JOHN</u> | REV. W. L. TUNLER SAUNDERS | ROBERT | Note: - |
| Removed to Norfolk | An Episcopal clergyman for | | Sarah Saunders, who |
| b. | 20 years rector | Also | married Dr. James |
| d. | at | Mr. Lawrence | Carter is not men- |
| m. Lucy Galt | Annalachicola | 7 Saunders | tioned in the sketch |
| | b. 1817 | Civil engineer | of the Saunders family, |
| | in Norfolk, | New York | from which the fore- |
| | Va. | | going was taken. |
| | m. ---- | 7 | However, it is very |
| | Note: Robt. Saunders | 7 Jennie | probable that this |
| | grandson of the above, | Walter B. | is the family to which |
| | was Pres. of M. & | of | she belonged. This |
| | Mary College | Phila. | article did not trace |
| | 1846-48 | d. 1905 | all the descendants |
| | | Note: This branch | of the 1st John Saunders |
| | | charted as the | of York. |
| | | Galt papers men- | |
| | | tioned the Carter | |
| | | family | |
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SAUNDERS

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| 1. JOHN of York Co., Va. b. 16-- d. 1700 Will proved Feb. 24, 1700 disposes of a large est. in money, slaves & land m. 2nd---Hargrave m. 1st Mary Risle dau. of John. ref: deed in Yorktown from John and Edward Saunders, dis- posing of land to Wm. Barber inherited from their mother Mary Risle, dau. of John. | 2. ROBERT of Wmsburg b. d. m. "probably" ---Spratley dau. of John of Surry w. of John Sprately d. Apr. 28, 1728 refers to his gr. dau. Mary Saunders, dau of Mr. Robt. Saunders of Wmsburg. Ref: 14W(1) 147 Other children of John. Christabel, wife of Saml. Waddow, John Edward, Geo. Hargrave, Peter Sarah, Susannah | 3. JOHN lived in Wmsburg where he was a contractor | 4. ROBERT b. d. m. 11/6/1799 Marianna Barbara Hunter (14W(1) 147 dau. of John Hunter & Susannah Jones Also John Saunders | 5. ROBERT b. 1/25/1805 d. 1869 m. 6/17/1828 Lucy Bur- well Page dau. of John Page of Rose- well Had bro. Jno. who married Lucy Galt and removed to Norfolk where he was an officer of the customs. |
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Ref: 7V155 - "From family Bible formerly in possession of Robert Saunders,
President of William and Mary College.



THE SAUNDERS FAMILY

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| <u>JOHN</u> | : | <u>ROBERT</u> | : | <u>JOHN</u> | : | <u>ROBERT</u> |
| York County, | : | Williamsburg | : | Contractor | : | |
| Virginia | : | York Co., Va. | : | in Wmsbg. | : | b. Nov. 9, 1761 |
| b. 16 --- | : | b. 16-- | : | b. 17-- | : | d. |
| d. Will proved | : | d. | : | d. | : | m. Nov. 6, 1799 |
| 2/24/1700 | : | | : | m. ante 1761 | : | Mariana Barbara |
| m. 1st 16-- | : | m. ---Spratley, | : | | : | Hunter, dau. |
| Mary Risle | : | dau. of John | : | | : | of John |
| dau. of | : | of Surry Co. | : | | : | Hunter and |
| John | : | Will dated | : | | : | Susannah Jones |
| | : | 4/25/1728 | : | | : | |
| m. 2nd 16 -- | : | Ref: | : | | : | |
| ----Hargrave | : | 14W(1)145-7 | : | | : | |
| dau. of | : | Other children | : | | : | |
| Peter | : | of John Saunders: | : | | : | |
| Ref: | : | Christobel - Saml. Waddow | : | | : | |
| 14W(1)1456 | : | John) sons of | : | | : | |
| (See 8 W (2) | : | Edward) 1st marriage | : | | : | |
| 136. | : | George | : | | : | |
| | : | Hargrave | : | | : | |
| | : | Peter | : | | : | |
| | : | X Sarah | : | | : | |
| | : | Susannah | : | | : | |



THE SAUNDERS FAMILY

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| <u>JOHN</u> | : | <u>ROBERT</u> | : | <u>JOHN</u> | : | <u>ROBERT</u> |
| York County, Virginia | : | Williamsburg York Co., Va. | : | Contractor in Wmsbg. b. 17-- | : | b. Nov. 9, 1761 |
| b. 16 --- | : | b. 16-- | : | d. | : | d. |
| d. Will proved 2/24/1700 | : | d. | : | m. ante 1761 | : | m. Nov. 6, 1799 Mariana Barbara Hunter, dau. of John Hunter and Susannah Jones |
| m. 1st 16-- <u>Mary Risle</u> dau. of John | : | m. ---Soratley, dau. of John of Surry Co. Will dated 4/20/1728 | : | | : | |
| m. 2nd 16 -- ----Hargrave dau. of Peter Ref: 14W(1)1456 (See 8 W (2) 136. | : | Ref: 14W(1)145-7 Other children of John Saunders: Christobel - Saml. Waddow John) sons of Edward) 1st marriage George Hargrave Peter X Sarah Susannah | : | | : | |

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